

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

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LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

*A statement of the aggregate amount of silver bullion purchased in  
October, 1893.*

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
Washington, D. C., December 8, 1893.

SIR: Acknowledging the receipt of the resolution passed by the Senate November 1, 1893, as follows:

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, directed to furnish the Senate with a statement giving the aggregate amount of silver bullion purchased under the act of July 14, 1890, during the month of October, 1893, together with the cost thereof, the amount, date, and price of each purchase, and the name of the vender. Also the aggregate amount of silver bullion offered for sale during said month, the amount, date, and price of each offer, and the name of the person making such offer, and how paid for.

I have the honor to transmit herewith a statement giving the information requested.

The purchases of silver bullion during the month of October were paid for with Treasury notes as required by the act of July 14, 1890.

Very respectfully,

J. G. CARLISLE,  
Secretary.

The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.





AMOUNT OF SILVER BULLION PURCHASED IN OCTOBER, 1893. 3

13	Handy & Harman Co. Boston and Colorado S.	50,000 30,000	7410 7350	do Declined and \$0.7320 tendered.	Accepted	Boston and Colorado S. Co.	30,000	.7320	30,311.76	22,188.21
16	Clark, Dodge & Co. M. Guggenheim Sons Nesslage, Colgate & Co. Hoskier, Wood & Co. Handy & Harman W. Loatza & Co.	75,000 25,000 50,000 50,000 50,000 42,000	7375 7375 7345 7370 74 7370	do do do do Declined and \$0.7340 tendered.	Accepted	W. Loatza & Co.	42,000	.7340	42,005.68	30,832.17
18	Hoskier, Wood & Co. Clark, Dodge & Co. Handy & Harman Boston and Colorado S.	40,000 100,000 100,000 30,000	7375 74 7375 74	do do Declined and \$0.7345 tendered.	Accepted	Clark, Dodge & Co.	100,000	.7340	100,530.35	72,789.28
20	Handy & Harman Clark, Dodge & Co. Nesslage, Colgate & Co. National Bank M. Guggenheim Sons Boston and Colorado S.	75,000 50,000 25,000 52,000 25,000 30,000	7380 74 7345 7350 7375 7375	do do Accepted Declined and \$0.7345 tendered.	Accepted	Handy & Harman Clark, Dodge & Co. Nesslage, Colgate & Co. American Exchange National Bank	75,000 50,000 25,000 52,000 30,000	.7345 .7345 .7345 .7345 .7340	75,130.91 50,083.72 25,771.83 52,168.13 29,945.81	55,183.66 36,786.49 18,929.41 38,317.49 21,987.56
23	Clark, Dodge & Co. Handy & Harman St. Louis S. and R. Co. Sally Smelting and Lead Co.	50,000 50,000 20,000 50,000	74 74 7360 74	do do do Declined and \$0.7360 tendered.	do Accepted	Clark, Dodge & Co. St. Louis S. and R. Co.	50,000 20,000	.7340 .7340	49,989.71 19,848.93	36,892.45 14,569.11
25	Clark, Dodge & Co. M. Guggenheim Sons Josef M. Menendez Handy & Harman American Exchange National Bank Handy & Harman M. Guggenheim Sons J. & W. Seligman & Co. Clark, Dodge & Co. Hoskier, Wood & Co.	75,000 50,000 10,000 50,000 40,000 150,000 25,000 45,000 75,000 50,000	7425 74 75 74 7350 7350 7350 7350 7375 7350	do do do do Declined and \$0.73 tendered.	Accepted	Handy & Harman M. Guggenheim Sons J. & W. Seligman & Co. Clark, Dodge & Co. Hoskier, Wood & Co.	150,000 25,000 45,000 75,000 30,000	.73 .73 .73 .73 .73	150,194.31 24,982.35 45,358.69 74,944.37 30,164.63	109,641.84 18,237.12 33,111.84 54,709.39 22,020.18
27	Nesslage, Colgate & Co. Hoskier, Wood & Co. Wells, Fargo & Co. St. Louis S. and R. Co. Boston and Colorado S. Handy & Harman Nesslage, Colgate & Co. Wells, Fargo & Co.	50,000.00 25,000.00 50,000.00 15,000.00 60,000.00 100,000.00 50,000.00 40,000.00	7345 7350 7340 7350 7375 7250 7240 7250	do do do do do Declined and \$0.72 tendered.	Accepted for 30,000 ounces. Accepted	Nesslage, Colgate & Co. Wells, Fargo & Co. St. Louis S. and R. Co. Boston and Colorado S. Handy & Harman Nesslage, Colgate & Co. Wells, Fargo & Co.	10,000.00 50,005.00 15,000.00 60,000.00 100,000.00 30,000.00 40,000.00	.73 .73 .73 .73 .72 .72 .73	9,684.82 50,083.00 15,041.20 60,332.20 100,191.22 29,947.22 40,562.37	7,069.92 36,560.61 10,880.08 44,042.51 72,137.68 21,562.00 29,204.90

Statement of the amount of silver bullion offered to the Government during the month of October, 1893, etc.—Continued.

Date.	By whom offered.	Amount offered.	Price at which offered per fine ounce.	Action.		Of whom purchased.	Amount purchased.	Price paid per fine ounce.	Amount delivered on contract.	Cost of amount delivered.
				Department.	Bidder.					
1893. Oct. 27	Clark, Dodge & Co. ....	<i>Fine ounces.</i> 75,000.00	\$0.7275	Declined and tendered.	Accepted .....	Clark, Dodge & Co. ....	<i>Fine ounces.</i> 75,000.00	\$0.72	<i>Fine ounces.</i> 75,116.75	\$54,084.06
	American Exchange National Bank.	43,000.00	.7310	.....do.....	.....do.....	American Exchange National Bank.	43,000.00	.72	42,248.09	30,418.63
	Zimmermann & Forshay.	50,000.00	.7275	.....do.....	.....do.....	Hoskier, Wood & Co. ....	100,000.00	.72	100,308.69	72,222.25
	Hoskier, Wood & Co. ....	128,000.00	.7250	.....do.....	.....do.....	Laidlaw & Co. ....	128,000.00	.73	128,132.44	92,255.96
	Laidlaw & Co. ....	100,000.00	.7240	Declined and tendered.	.....do.....	Hoskier, Wood & Co. ....	100,000.00	.70	99,873.51	69,911.45
30	Hoskier, Wood & Co. ....	50,000.00	.71	.....do.....	.....do.....	Nesslage, Colgate & Co.	50,000.00	.70	13,013.66	9,109.55
	Clark, Dodge & Co. ....	200,000.00	.7020	.....do.....	.....do.....	Clark, Dodge & Co. ....	200,000.00	.70	199,405.83	139,584.08
	Handy & Harman. ....	200,000.00	.71	.....do.....	.....do.....	Handy & Harman. ....	200,000.00	.70	199,304.67	139,513.28
	M. Guggenheim Sons. ....	50,000.00	.70	Accepted	.....do.....	M. Guggenheim Sons. ....	50,000.00	.70	50,242.57	35,169.79
	Boston and Colorado S. Co.	50,000.00	.7050	Declined and tendered.	.....do.....	Boston and Colorado S. Co.	50,000.00	.70	50,233.77	35,163.64
	Wells, Fargo & Co. ....	42,000.00	.71	.....do.....	.....do.....	Selby Smelting and Lead Co.	20,000.00	.70	19,972.71	13,980.90
30	Selby Smelting and Lead Co.	20,000.00	.72	.....do.....	.....do.....	St. Louis S. and R. Co..	25,000.00	.70	25,016.73	17,511.71
	St. Louis S. and R. Co..	25,000.00	.7025	.....do.....	.....do.....					
	Total .....	4,652,000.00					2,820,000.00		2,787,927.81	2,018,124.55
	Local purchases at mints.	209,384.68					209,384.68		209,384.68	152,644.27
	Grand total .....	4,861,384.68					3,029,384.68		2,997,312.49	2,170,768.82